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To Whom It May Concern:

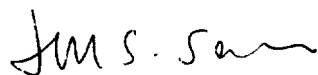
I am writing in regard to the proposition on the "New Rules for Trans Fatty Acids in Nutrition Labeling, Nutrient Content Claims, and Health Claims." The FDA proposes to amend its regulations on labeling to require that trans fatty acid content in food be included in the Nutrition Facts panel.

I feel strongly that such a proposition would help reduce the number of coronary heart disease cases in America each year. Regulating nutrition labels to include the amount of trans fatty acids as they relate to saturated fat would allow the public to make educated decisions on the type of food that is being purchased.

As a college student majoring in nutrition, I have learned that food labeling provides essential information on the constituents of food. This information aids consumers to make decisions that would otherwise not be possible if food labels were not available and aids consumers to make wise decisions on matters that effect their health. With the recent studies showing that trans fatty acids increase blood LDL levels which consequently increase the risk of coronary heart disease, requires that foods containing trans fatty acids be labeled.

Thank you for considering my views on this proposition and I hope that amendments are made to include trans fatty acids in the Nutrition Facts panel.

Sincerely,

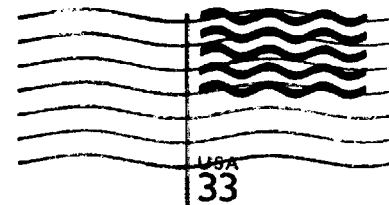


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